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## Mayor's Office

Daniel S. Paletko Mayor

May 22, 2007

Honorable Paul Condino House Judiciary Committee Chair Michigan House of Representatives Post Office Box 30014 Lansing, Michigan 48909-7514

RE: House Bill Number 4420

VIA FACSIMILE & US MAIL

Dear Representative Condino:

On May 23, 2007 the House Judiciary Committee will be considering House Bill Number 4420 proposed by 16th District Representative Bob Constan. Please read this letter as testimony in full support of the reformation of the Twentieth District Court and the abolition of the Twenty-First District Court.

Effective January 2, 2008 the City of Dearborn Heights and Garden City hope to have one unified Court by reforming the current Twentieth District Court. The reformed Court will have three judges. This reformation and unification will save all parties a significant amount of money, including the State of Michigan.

Therefore, please know that the as Mayor of the City of Dearborn Heights I fully support the passage of House Bill Number 4420.

Sincerely,

cc: Bob Constan, 16th District State Representative

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